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In re application of

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PLASMA PREPARATION OR SERUM PREPARATION AND PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE SAME

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents April 2, 2009 P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed December 2,

2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

An Appendix is attached following the signature page of this paper.